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DEPT WOULD APPRECIATE CONFIRMATION ASAP OF FOLLOWING
REUTER REPORT, DATED APRIL 9, FROM JERUSALEM:

"ISRAEL DECIDED TODAY TO RESUME PAYMENTS TO THE ANNUAL
BUDGET OF THE U.N. EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL
ORGANIZATION (UNESCO), ACCORDING TO AN OFFICIAL CABINET
ANNOUNCEMENT.

ISRAEL SUSPENDED PAYMENTS MORE THAN THREE YEARS AGO AFTER
THE UNITED NATIONS ADOPTED AN ANTI-ISRAEL RESOLUTION WHICH
BARRED IT FROM THE ACTIVITIES OF UNESCO'S EUROPEAN REGIONAL
GROUP. THE ACTION FOLLOWED ALLEGATIONS THAT ISRAEL CARRIED
OUT ARCHAEOLOGICAL WORK ALTERING HISTORICAL FEATURES OF
JERUSALEM.

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IT WAS READMITTED IN NOVEMBER, 1976, AFTER INTERNATIONAL
PROTESTS AND U. S. MOVES TO CUT OFF CONTRIBUTIONS TO
UNESCO'S BUDGET.

ISRAEL'S DECISION TO PAY ITS DEBTS TO UNESCO, AMOUNTING TO
373,000 DOLLARS, WAS MADE AT TODAY'S WEEKLY CABINET SESSION".

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